GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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MEASURE FOR SAFETY OF TIGERS
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether two tigers were found dead in the Jim Corbett National Park recently;

(b) if so, whether the Government has conducted any inquiry into the matter;

(c) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government for the safety of tigers?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a) to (c) Yes Sir. Mortality of a tigress and a tiger on 31.10.2007 and 1.11.2007 respectively has been reported. The State authorities have taken action for investigating the cause of death.

(d) Steps taken by Government of India for conservation of wild animals including tigers are given at Annexure-I.